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SUBJECT: ECONOMIC STIMULATION: TAX RELIEF LEGIS-
LATION KEPT IN ABEYANCE

REF.: BONN 16501, 15209

1. IN CONTRAST TO EARLIER HOPES (PARA 1 B, 16501)
THE BUNDESTAG FINANCE COMMITTEE FAILED TO PROPOSE A

COMPROMISE SOLUTION IN THE LONG-STANDING TAX RELIEF ISSUE. INSTEAD, THE COMMITTEE, BY MAJORITY VOTE OF THE COALITION MEMBERS, ENDORSED THE GOVERNMENT'S BILL (15209) WHICH, SUBSEQUENTLY, WAS PASSED BY THE BUNDESTAG AGAINST THE VOTES OF THE OPPOSITION.

2. THE OPPOSITION-CONTROLLED BUNDESRAT, WHICH IS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED TO DEAL WITH THE MATTER NEXT WEEK, IS VIRTUALLY CERTAIN TO DISAPPROVE THE GOVERNMENT'S BILL AS IT NOW STANDS AND REFER THE ISSUE TO THE BUNDESTAG /BUNDESRAT CONFERENCE COMMITTEE. THUS, THE ULTIMATE OUTCOME OF THE EXTENDED STRUGGLE OVER TAX RELIEF WILL REMAIN UNCERTAIN FOR SOME TIME TO COME, DESPITE THE PREVAILING CONSENSUS REGARDING THE NEED FOR SUCH RELIEF IN ONE FORM OR ANOTHER.
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